## **Huntington Beach Police Department**

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Release Date/Time: 10-25-14/9:00 PM Subject: Officer Involved Shooting

Case Number: 14-016107

Details:

**Suspect**: Male Adult (deceased)

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On 10-25-14 at 5:25 PM the Huntington Beach Police Department received a call of reckless driver southbound Gothard Street from Heil Ave. The caller reported a male driving a dark colored SUV forcing cars off the road. Officers saw the vehicle southbound Gothard Street from Ellis Ave. As officers attempted to stop the vehicle the suspect was involved in minor traffic collision at the corner of Ernest Drive and Stewart Street. The suspect exited the vehicle with a handgun and walked up the driveway of a residence. The officer ordered him to stop but the suspect turned and pointed what appeared to be a handgun at the officer. The officer fired his weapon, striking the suspect.

Officers administered first aid on the suspect until paramedics arrived. The suspect was transported to a local hospital where he died of his injuries. The officer was not injured and a handgun was located at the scene.

We are not identifying the suspect or involved officer at this time and have no information as to the motive regarding the suspect's actions.

The Orange County Sheriff's Office is handling the investigation per our policy. They are in charge of the investigation and all further media inquiries must be addressed through their office.

We are asking anyone who witnessed the incident or has any information to call the Orange County Sheriff's Department's Homicide Division at 714 647-7055.